105TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 4694

For the relief of Suchada Kwong.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 2, 1998

Ms. Pelosi introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR SUCHADA 4 KWONG. 5 (a) In General.—Notwithstanding subsections (a) and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality Act, Suchada Kwong shall be eligible for issuance of an 8 immigrant visa or for adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence upon filing an application for issuance of an immigrant visa under 10 section 204 of such Act or for adjustment of status to

lawful permanent resident.

- 1 (b) Adjustment of Status.—If Suchada Kwong
- 2 enters the United States before the filing deadline speci-
- 3 fied in subsection (c), she shall be considered to have en-
- 4 tered and remained lawfully and shall, if otherwise eligible,
- 5 be eligible for adjustment of status under section 245 of
- 6 the Immigration and Nationality Act as of the date of the
- 7 enactment of this Act.
- 8 (c) Deadline for Application and Payment of
- 9 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
- 10 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
- 11 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
- 12 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.
- 13 (d) Reduction of Immigrant Visa Number.—
- 14 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
- 15 idence to Suchada Kwong, the Secretary of State shall in-
- 16 struct the proper officer to reduce by 1, during the current
- 17 or next following fiscal year, the total number of immi-
- 18 grant visas that are made available to natives of the coun-
- 19 try of the alien's birth under section 203(a) of the Immi-
- 20 gration and Nationality Act or, if applicable, the total
- 21 number of immigrant visas that are made available to na-
- 22 tives of the country of the alien's birth under section
- 23 202(e) of such Act.